



WASHINGTON SOLDIERS HOME AND
COLONY RECRUITMENT
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

NURSE PRACTITIONER (56470)

\$3516.00 – 5487.00 per month (Range 53N)

\$20.21 – 31.53 per hour

Recruitment Announcement Number: WSHC 03-04

Opens: August 30, 2004

Closes: Open Until Further Notice

LOCATION

This employment register will be used to fill full time and/or part time positions as they may occur with the Washington Soldiers Home and Colony in Orting. There is one vacancy.

DUTIES

In a health care facility, assesses and manages a wide variety of illnesses, abnormalities and health care problems from initial evaluation through termination of treatment, to include the prevention of illness, restoration and/or maintenance of health.

HOW TO APPLY

Send a completed Washington State job application to:

Human Resources, WSHC
PO Box 199
Orting, WA 98360
Fax (360) 893-4590
normau@dva.gov.wa
Telephone 360 893-4521

Initial screening will be based solely on the information contained in your application. You should keep a copy of your application for your files.

WHO MAY APPLY

This recruitment is open to anyone who meets the minimum qualifications. The State of Washington is an equal opportunity employer.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

A valid Washington State license to practice as a registered nurse.

AND

Current certification from an approved national certification program (American Nurses Association) verifying completion of an advanced formal education program in the area of specialty.

AND

Possession of a current designation as an Advance Registered Nurse Practitioner in the State of Washington.

OR

Recent graduates of the formal education program who are awaiting the results of the licensing examination must have a Washington State issued temporary permit. Failure to obtain a license shall result in immediate termination from the position by the appointing authority. **Selective Certification has been approved for this position. Candidate must have an ARNP license with prescriptive authority, and certification, training and experience in the nursing specialty of Geriatrics or Adult Health Care.**

SPECIAL NOTE

1. Employees in these positions must be physically able to perform all the duties of the position, which may involve extensive lifting.
2. Persons selected must undergo a Criminal History Background clearance.
3. All positions in this class are part of the collective bargaining unit of the Washington State Nurses Association.
4. Some positions may require overtime on a voluntary or mandatory basis.

EXAMINATION PROCEDURES

The examination is an evaluation of your experience and training (E&T) based upon the information contained in the application. The application must be filled out completely. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of Part 4 Employment History. Promotional candidates will be ranked according to scores earned in the examination, weighted 100%. All other candidates who qualify will be certified as "eligible" and will have their names placed on noncompetitive registers. The life of the noncompetitive register will be one year from the date of certification.

VETERANS PREFERENCE

If you have been honorably discharged following active service in a war of the United States or a military campaign for which a CAMPAIGN RIBBON WAS AWARDED; OR are the widow(er) of a veteran defined above; OR are the spouse of a veteran defined above and your spouse has a service connected permanent and total disability you may apply for Veterans Preference. **If claiming Veterans preference, you must complete Part 8 of the application form and submit a copy of your DD Form 214.**

The Washington Soldiers Home Personnel Office publishes this announcement. The State of Washington actively supports diversity in the workplace. Women, racial and ethnic minorities, persons with disabilities, persons over 40 years of age, disabled veterans and Vietnam Era veterans are all encouraged to apply. Persons with a disability who need assistance in the application or testing process, or those needing this announcement in an alternate format, may call Gary Klein (360) 893-4503 or the Washington State TDD Relay Service 1-800-833-6388